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SKUNKS VISIT MAIN STREET

Mr. Floyd Hall, local Real Estate and Insurance Agent here in Minden, reported two skunks looking for an evening out on the town Monday night.

While Mr. Hall was out for his evening stroll, he saw two skunks one at each end of the main street. The skunks seemed to be unconcerned with the people and the cars going by, as they walked back and forth across the main street and up the sidewalks in front of the stores. Mr. Hall said it was a very unusual site for animals such as these to be entertaining themselves in the main shopping area.

BOB PEACOCK CATCHES BIG PICKEREL



Pictured above is Bob Peacock with his big catch. Bob caught this 10 pound yellow Peckerel in the Burnt River, just north of Kinmount. The fish measured 33 inches in length and had an 18 inch girth. Bob said, no fancy lure was used, just a minnow.

Open House At Home

SUNDAY, JUNE 26

On Sunday, June 29th, Open House will be held at the Senior Citizen's Home, here in Minden.

Everyone in the County is invited to attend this long awaited occasion. The hours will be from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

It has been exactly 48 months, since this dream by Mrs. Muriel Medley, has turned into a reality. It all started back in June 1962 in the United Church at Carnarvon, when Mrs. Medley held a meeting with the fellowship group of the U.C.W., to discuss this project.

The home has already established itself as a land mark here in the Highlands of Haliburton, and it will be a tremendous asset in years to come — serving its purpose of looking after our Senior Citizens from this area.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Gymnatorium, Gymnopurpose And Gymnon Adult Room

by Libby Griffiths

Yes, the Minden Public School, Archie Stouffer addition, is to leave a new gymna everything, except a gymna lunch and a gymna health room. This building has been designed by Mr. Stefan Sherbowich and is being constructed by Mr. M. J. Finn and is to display features used in the latest model gymnatorium in the city of Barrie, Ontario.

The thought of comparing a gymnatorium in the city of Barrie with that which is needed in Minden, a village, is truly ridiculous — Barrie has, two full scale gymnasiums and two auditoriums in its two high schools, as well as a Y.M.C.A., which sports a regulation gymn. pool and adult education. So with the above available all that is necessary in the public schools is a gymnatorium. This is not so in Minden.

Minden has not a full scale regulation gymnasium or even a respectable auditorium. Although you, our School Board, say, that the Department of Education will not approve grants for a full size gymnasium, in a twelve room school, or for a lunch room, but, will approve grants only for a general purpose room. A Bargain

is only a Bargain when the product is what is needed, and that is not a gymna everything. A regulation gymnasium and auditorium is necessary and more important a proper lunch room, and with 235 bus children, a health room.

The present health room is the teachers room. Slightly nauseating to have your coffee breaks or lunch, in the same room with a child who is, or has been ill isn't it?

If we can not obtain the necessary merchandise at bargain prices, let us then take the bull by the horns and pay the full price, for what we desperately need at the Minden Public School!

The time has come that the teachers and the ratepayers have communication with the School Board before large changes are decided upon and that each teacher receives a full report of monthly School Board meetings. It would seem advantageous if the agenda of School Board meetings could be published in advance so that interested ratepayers might attend.

The iron curtain procedures must be eliminated at the Minden Public School.

PROGRESS FEATURES NEW SPORTS WRITER

The Progress Sports Department has added another writer. Bob Beeney Sports Editor has been on the inactive list for the last month due to a busy schedule. Bob will continue with his column later on in the summer. However Sports will still have full coverage in the Progress, with Rob Robinson, new owner of the Oasis Restaurant, turning his hand as a scribe.

Rob is a native of this area, and has been a sports enthusiast for many years, playing his minor hockey here in Minden and then graduating to the Woodbridge Jr. "B" team. He is a golfer of note and participates in the county ball league. Rob has a keen interest in all other sports as well.

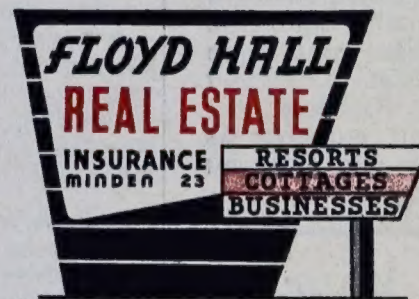
He has just recently returned from Calgary and Vancouver, and is hoping to make his home here once again. While out west he was very active in the Junior Chamber of Commerce and worked with Hal "Hoss" Hammer of SKRD TV, Sports Director of that station.

ROTARY CARNIVAL SET FOR JULY 27, 28

The annual Rotary Carnival plans are well underway, once again. The dates for this years Carnival have been set for July 27, and 28th.

The big attraction as usual will be the boat, motor and trailer draw, tickets, can be obtained from any Rotarian or in any store on the main street. Chairman of the draw Harry Cowan, told the Progress that the tickets were going well. Get your ticket now, while they last, you could be a lucky winner.

Irvin House has been appointed as Parade Chairman for this years Carnival. It is hoped, that all the merchants will get behind Mr. Irvin in his efforts to make this years parade bigger and better than ever. Irvin is one of the newest members of Rotary and is very optimistic for the success of this parade. He has many new ideas and plans to make this years parade the best one yet.



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Here and There

with
FENWICK FINCH

We are faced with a coffee cartel inflation. If main street rumours have any credence the local bistros are coming in with a jump on 5c per mug.

This could be an unfortunate decision — at 10c per cup (the going price in most places) the grog dispensers could get away with the odd cup of bitter, off-beat coffee — but — at 15c a cup they'll have to come to standard every time out of the percolator. Or, back it goes.

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Possibly it was this rumour of price rise that drew such an exceptional number of new "Finch Coffee Club" members. For, with this raise, the member in the Club goes up. Since the value of a membership in this club is of doubtful value we foresee the membership, new, that is, dropping off alarmingly. We feel this show marks of discrimination.

The last week saw new members on the distaff side — Craig's Restaurant were with us 100 per cent — Doris Craig, Norm Craig, (he's not distaff) Jean Nelson and Ruth Sawyer.

Alan "Cub" Coneybeare of Canada Packer's J. Earl Palmer Q.C. the "Perry Mason" of Minden. J. Earl Hewitt and Ab. Cox of the Municipal engineering staff. Harold and Eldon Deacon, of the Texaco Co. and "Deac" Jackson of plumbing and waterworks fame. E. L. "Mac" Mac-Carey of the Ontario Hyrdo. This, then, was a good week for the Club.

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It would appear therefore that the Finch Coffee Club should enter the lists and fight for the common man and his right for a ten cent cup of coffee.

Looks like we may drink tea in place of coffee.

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Still on coffee. If this price spread becomes too widespread a certain young french poodle in Bobcaygeon is going to find that a "dog's life" is not what it used to be.

Just South of Bobcaygeon on Highway 36 is Crosby's Restaurant. Last Sunday we stopped in for a cup of coffee, (10c per cup — no charge for seconds). Near us, on the floor was a young Poodle named "Baby". She was trying to attract the attention of one of the waitresses — with no luck. Failing in this ploy Baby jumped up on the stool and proceed to tap the counter with her paws until one of the girls drew her a saucer of coffee. Then, she was happy. Through some telepathy with her owner Mr. Crosby, she is able to impart her wishes for either coffee or "Coke" which she enjoys just aswell.

"Baby" may not be in too bad shape — she belongs to the owner of the restaurant so — may not be affected by any price rise.

Almost forgot — The coffee we had was excellent and the food well-handled.

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Seems like we had a couple of other items for this week but space has run out.

The Watchman-Warder Press has now taken on a "professional" look again under the guidance of Editor Newton Falls, who incidentally became the latest new member of the Coffee Club last Saturday. This Lindsay Paper has been having it's ups and downs — maybe it will hold on this time.

Fenwick

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT

R.S.C. 1952 CHAPTER 193

Municipality of Dysart et al hereby given notice that it has under Section 7 of the said Act, deposited with the Minister of Public Works, at Ottawa, and in the office of the District Registrar of the Land Registry District of Haliburton, at Minden, Ontario a description of the site and the plans of a bridge proposed to be built over the Narrows between Haliburton and Oblong Lakes, on the open road allowance between lots 10, and 11, Con, 6, Harburn, Provisional County of Haliburton.

And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of publication of this notice, the Municipality of Dysart et al will under section 7 of the said Act apply to the Minister of Public Works for approval of the said site and plans.

Dated at Haliburton, Ontario this 10th. day of June, 1966.

Wayne B. Wood, Clerk,
Municipality of Dysart et al.



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What's New - In Life Saving

The Royal Life Saving Society Canada has produced and published a "Canadian Life Saving Manual" which has a modern and refreshing approach to the philosophy and techniques of life saving in emergencies which occur in, on or around water or where resuscitation is indicated.

The Society, which operates throughout the Commonwealth, was first started in Ontario in 1908. Its newest publication reflects progress which has been made throughout the years.

The Manual, eight and one half by eleven in size is published in five volumes which may be obtained separately or as a "package deal" in an attractive three ring binder. These may be purchased for \$3.50 complete with binder, \$2.50 for the five volumes, or 60 cents per volume.

Volume One, entitled, "Canadian Life Saving Programme" defines in terms of water safety, water rescue and first aid, an outline of the aims, structure and history of the Royal Life Saving Society of Canada. Canadian test programme detailed, with references to other volumes for instructional purposes.

Volume Two, entitled "Swimming Strokes and Skills" contains prerequisites to life saving; an analysis of the principles of floatation and movement in the water, with descriptions and diagrams of basic survival positions, buoyancy skills, entries and strokes.

Volume Three, entitled "Water Rescue" a complete guide to the selection and execution of diverse rescue procedures, including reaching assists, towing assists, clothing skills and contract rescue procedures. Photography illustrations and descriptions of all techniques.

Volume Four, entitled "Resus-

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knowledge of respiration and circulation, shock, asphyxia and the mechanism of drowning; artificial respiration and artificial circulation presented at a level appropriate to the layman. Complete descriptions and diagrams of practical techniques. Prepared under supervision of the Advisory Medical Committee of the Royal Life

Saving Society Canada.

Volume Five, entitled "Proficiency Skills, Dives and Games" cover a wide range of supplementary aquatic skills including proficiency strokes and figures, springboard diving and aquatic games. Offers an introduction to water polo, with rules and fundamentals of play. Photographs and diagrams.

The format and contents of each volume are such that philosophy and techniques may be easily grasped by everyone.

The Ontario Headquarters of the Royal Life Saving Society is situated at 550 Church Street, Toronto 5. The staff there will be happy to provide more information concerning this important publication.

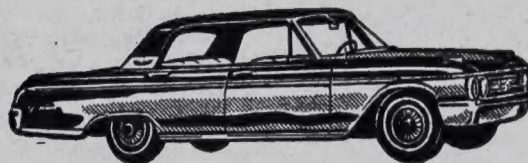


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SWEET SMELL OF THE JOHNNY HOUSE

Now that our good council have repaired the sidewalks down one side of our main street, we are wondering what they can do with the sweet smell of our Johnny House on the same side. No doubt the visitors in town will take notice of the smooth walking under foot, but when they come to our public wash room, I am afraid they will turn and walk on the old sidewalk across the street.

This type of public washroom is out dated, and I am sure it add nothing to our main drag. Even though it is kept reasonably clean inside, the odour is terrific, and should be corrected as soon as possible. Some will say it has been there for many years, and has served the public well. This might be so, but it is because of these years that it is now, no longer a service to the community, in its present condition. If a person has to go — and no doubt everyone does, unless times have changed this too. It is no relief to the system to be forced into this little building. And even for those who are not caught short, they still pay the price just to walk by.

The odour is bad enough, but this is not our only complaint. This writer has the habit of closing this town up each night. Last week in the early hours of the morning, about 1 a.m., I was enjoying a cup of coffee at the Rockcliff Snack Bar — and sure enough I got that feeling. Since the facilities were across the road, I wondered across into the safety valve two by four building. Now I had been talking across the road for some time, and hadn't noticed anyone going in — but when I got there — there were two of us — the other customer had fallen off the Johnny seat and was stretched across the floor. Now either he was dead drunk, or just plain dead. Needless to say he wasn't dead. I thought of helping the poor soul, but on second thought, I figured a drafty sleep, and I mean drafty, might tighten up the rheumatism, and teach this chap a lesson. However, I don't suppose it would happen that way.

Now I wonder just what would have happened if this gentleman, if I can call him that, had staggered in the door just three feet away — and a woman had come along, to use the facilities. I am sure this town would have been awakened by her shrieks!

Now you might say this incident would only happen once — I have done a little investigating and find that this is a common occurrence, and other people have been startled by a stretched out drunk, in our Johnny House.

There is no doubt we need public washrooms, but they should be of modern construction, and locked up in the evenings, before they can be used by our fellow citizens who do not wait to lay themselves down on a feather mattress.

THE NATION'S BUSINESS

by William C. Scott, MP

The House of Commons has passed the resolution recommending the setting up of a health resources fund, and given first reading to a bill to allocate monies to the fund. But it has been left with the lingering doubt as to whether the establishing of the fund is, as several Members of Parliament put it, "too little too late." The resolution was introduced by Health Minister MacEachen and provides for a fund of \$500 million to be spent over the next fifteen years. The money will be spent to train people to provide medical care services and to endeavour to catch up in areas where trained personnel are in short supply. Disbursements from the fund will also be made for capital grants for the construction, renovation, and basic equipment for research establishments, teaching hospitals, medical schools and training facilities for essential health personnel. However the operating costs of these establishments will not be financed out of the fund.

Since health matters are the joint responsibility of the federal and provincial governments operation of the fund will require close cooperation between the two levels. Requests for assistance from the fund will come from the provinces.

Opposition spokesmen were complimentary toward the principle of the fund. They pointed to the ever-increasing need for more doctors, dentists, nurses, technicians, radiologists and physiotherapists. One Opposition member said that the fund was not half enough to meet this need. Another pointed to a report prepared by the Association of Canadian Medical Colleges which estimates that in the next four years alone, the cost of building programs will amount to approximately \$514 million. That the setting up of the fund will not be sufficient to combat the "brain drain" from Canada in the medical and related professions became evident from the speeches of several members who are doctors. They pointed to the fact that there is what appears to be an increasing flow of medically trained people to the United States which fortunately has been almost offset by the immigration to Canada of foreign-trained medical personnel.

In order to stem the outward flow of Canadian doctors, dentists, nurses and other members of the health professions and to meet the challenge of increasing the number of doctors from the 24,000 to the 41,000 which will be needed by 1986, according to reliable estimates, much more is required than Mr. MacEachen's \$500 million.

Passage of the resolution relat-

ing to the long-awaited Canada Assistance Plan has been held up by the New Democratic Party. This resolution, which was also introduced by Mr. MacEachen, provides for the sharing by the federal and provincial governments of the costs of many presently-existing welfare programs, and the integration of many of these measures. In brief, the plan will provide a basis for co-ordinating public assistance programs in Canada; federal sharing for the first time in Mothers' Allowance programs; federal support for the strengthening of administration and welfare service related to social assistance programs; emphasis on developing, improving and extending services designed to lessen the amount of dependency; federal aid for buttressing child and youth welfare services; federal sharing of health care costs for social assistance recipients; no federal

ceiling on benefits under this new program, and full sharing of payments made on the basis of need to improve the level of benefits now being paid to the aged, the blind and the disabled. Progressive Conservative spokesmen expressed regret that the plan does not provide for an immediate increase of the Old Age pension to \$100 per month. They were also sharply critical of the fact that one of the main features of the plan is a "needs test" which will subject the old age pensioner to a close scrutiny of his financial affairs before he can obtain additional benefits.

Passage of the resolution was prevented when the NDP members refused to give consent to have debate continued beyond the adjournment hour. It is expected that discussion on the measure will be resumed next week.

RED CROSS SWIMMING CLASS

Registration of School Children for the above classes, will be at the Minden docks on Wednesday, June 29th, 1966, from 1 P.M. to 4 P.M. The fees will be the same as last year. Mainly \$2.50 Single, \$5.00 Double, \$6.00 for family of four or more.

Mr. Richard Harding Jr., the Instructor will be in charge.

Water Safety Commission,
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After the business meeting was over a very pleasant evening of euchre, cribbage and scrabble was had by all. A small gift was presented to Jean, with best wishes from her many friends in the Group.

Lunch was served by four of the girls.

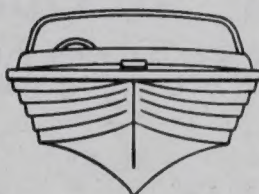
MINDEN WEATHER

by Phil Graham

June 1 — 15

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